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### LOCAL REQUESTS.

EXTRACTS FROM SIR P.  
CHATER'S WILL.

CHURCH BENEFITS.

We have been favoured with the following information dealing with the contents of the Will of the Honourable Sir Patrick Paul Chater so far as local interests are concerned.

It appears his Executors and Trustees are Lady Chater, Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, Mr. R. F. Mattingly and Mr. A. R. Barlow. After giving his personal effects to Lady Chater, he bequeaths, among others, the following legacies and annuities. A legacy to Lady Chater of £10,000. To Dr. J. C. Macgown £5,000. To Mr. E. Sadick \$50,000. To Dr. Fred Kew \$25,000. To his office boy \$100 and to the Hongkong Jockey Club \$50,000 and an Annuity to Lady Chater of £10,000. The residuary estate, after making very substantial provisions for his nephews and their children, is given to the Armenian Holy Church of Nazareth, Calcutta.

Lady Chater has the right of occupying Marble Hall as long as she wishes and on her desiring not to further occupy the house, then it is given unconditionally to the Hongkong Government.

Sir Paul Chater's collection of porcelain and pottery is given to the Hongkong Government unconditionally. As regards the Permanent Managing Directorship of the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ltd., Sir Paul Chater, has, subject to certain specific terms, nominated Messrs. E. D. Sassoon and Co. Ltd., and should they not accept the office then Sir Robert Ho Tung, and should he not accept the office, then Mr. J. T. Bagram for the benefit of the estate.

The Will contains special discretionary powers as to the postponement of realisation of the estate, and for the allotment of the estate in specie.

### VALEDICTORY.

RETIREMENT OF MR. B. A.  
HALE.

LOCAL JOURNALIST.

An association with local newspaper work extending over a period of nearly twenty years and with journalism in the Far East for over thirty years, is severed by the retirement of Mr. B. A. Hale, editor of the "Hongkong Daily Press," who leaves for home to-morrow on the s.s. "Carmarthenshire."

Mr. Hale's first experience with Far Eastern journalism was with the "Kobe Chronicle" which he joined in 1895. This paper later became known as the "Japan Chronicle." A few years later Mr. Hale acquired an interest in the old-established "Hiroshima News" of Kobe, converting it from a morning into an evening journal. It was whilst in charge of this paper that Mr. Hale was married.

When the offices of the "Hiroshima News" were destroyed by fire and the interests sold to the "Kobe Chronicle," Mr. Hale returned to England where he intended settling down. In 1903, however, Mr. Hale accepted the position of Manager of the "Hongkong Daily Press," succeeding Mr. Alfred Cunningham. (Mr. Tom Wright, later Editor of the "China Mail," became Editor of the "Daily Press" at that time).

Mr. Hale remained with the "Daily Press" until 1915 when he took over for three years, the editorship of the "China Mail," leaving Hongkong for England in 1918. Late in 1919 he was again offered the editorship of the "Daily Press" and once more came to Hongkong in that capacity remaining here ever since, except for home leave last year.

Mr. Hale was made an Unofficial Justice of the Peace in 1915.

As an expression of esteem and goodwill, Mr. Hale's journalistic colleagues on the local newspapers have presented him with a silver-mounted blackwood table and silver cigar and cigarette box suitably inscribed.

The best wishes of his many friends for a happy and long-lived retirement will go with Mr. and Mrs. Hale on their return home.

The Sanitary Board meets at 4.15 p.m. to-day.

### RENT OF ROOM.

TENANT WHO LEFT WITHOUT  
NOTICE.

EMPRESS LODGE CASE.

A dispute as to a reasonable amount suitable for breach of contract in respect of a room at Empress Lodge, Mody Road, Kowloon, led to the representation at the Summary Court this morning of Mrs. Murphy, complainant, and Mr. A. E. Greenway, defendant.

Mr. J. T. Prior for the complainant, read extracts from correspondence passing between Deacons, for the defendant, and himself.

The facts as disclosed in the letters were that Mr. Greenway, who had agreed to continue the hire of a room for April, left without notice. Mr. Prior stated that complainant would be entitled to claim \$450 as it was clearly indicated that a month's notice was called for but a writ had been made out only for \$300 for breach of contract and later by agreement it was decided that if Mr. Greenway paid \$150 and costs, Mrs. Murphy would not press the case.

A settlement along these lines was agreed upon, on condition that the money was paid forthwith. The money had not, however, been forthcoming when the list of cases came up for hearing and on that occasion a week's adjournment was granted. After another adjournment the case had been fixed for to-day.

Mr. Prior referred to complaints received from Deacons as to the conduct of the case, protesting at the case having come into court after a settlement appeared to have been effected. Mr. Prior added that it had been made clear that the settlement was conditional on payment forthwith and this had not been complied with. The firm of Deacons had been represented at the court adjournments.

Mr. H. C. Macnamara (for the defendant), said he knew nothing as to any court adjournments. He thought there had been a mistake.

His Worship looked up his notes and stated that it was a fact that the firm was represented at the hearings when adjournments were made.

With regard to a matter of legal etiquette about which Deacons had complained, viz. the service on defendant personally of the writ instead of the solicitors, Mr. Prior said he apologised. It had been an oversight but there was no legal obligation on him to have the writ served on the solicitors.

Mr. Macnamara said he would like to draw attention to the fact that the writ had been made out for exactly double what had first been claimed and double the amount which had finally been agreed upon. \$300 was an improper amount to claim. As regards costs, as he had not had notice of the court actions he did not think plaintiffs were entitled to costs but he left himself in His Worship's hands.

Mr. Justice Wood made an order for the amount agreed on (\$150), costs of the three court appearances to be paid by defendant.

### CORRUPT POLICE.

OVER A HUNDRED CHARGED  
IN KIEFF.

FOUR DEATH SENTENCES.

(Reuter's Service.)

Kiev, May 31. The trial in Kiev of 105 police officials who were charged with bribery and abuse of power ended in four being sentenced to death and 11 to various terms of imprisonment, including one for ten years. The remainder were acquitted.

### EAST WINDS.

GENERALLY CLOUDY  
WEATHER FORECAST.

For the 24 hours ending at noon to-morrow, the Observatory forecast reads: East winds, fresh to moderate, generally cloudy.

Pressure has increased considerably over N. E. Japan, and slightly over S. W. Japan, and China. It is likely to remain from India-China to the Philippines.

### COAL CRISIS.

HOPES OF FURTHER MOVES  
TO-DAY.

CABINET ON ALERT.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, May 30. The coal subsidy has lapsed.

The Cabinet met late at night. The main object of the Ministers is to be accessible in case of a last-minute approach by the owners of miners.

There are hopes of further moves to-morrow.

A HINT.

Important Developments Likely.

(British Wireless Service.)

Rugby, May 31.

No open moves had taken place up to this evening to bring about fresh coal negotiations. At midnight the Government's offer of a subsidy of £3,000,000 expires.

The Prime Minister was back in town to-day. The evening journal, the Star, states that whilst Mr. Baldwin has been spending his Whitsun holiday at his country residence, the Chequers, he has not been inactive and has been in indirect touch with the representatives of both the owners and the miners. The Star hints that as a result of these preliminary developments there are likely to be important developments in the situation.

Coal Supplies.

In event of the coal stoppage continuing it is stated that large quantities of foreign coal are at the command of British importers, who will receive assistance from the Government if that should be necessary. These supplies are understood to be available from the Saar Basin and France. Negotiations with the United States are well advanced also.

The Government has been assured that no obstacle in the handling of coal imported from foreign countries will be raised by the railway men.

DUTCH SHIPPING BOOM.

(Reuter's Service.)

Rotterdam, May 31.

The effect of the British strike on the Dutch coal trade is shown from the fact that from May 1 to May 29, 329 vessels left here with cargoes of over 1,500,000 tons of coal compared with the usual monthly average of 700,000 tons, whilst during the same period 333 vessels bunkered in the New Waterway, compared with 84 in the corresponding period of 1925.

Import on Russians.

London, May 31.

The British coal strike is placing a heavy import on Russian Trade Unionists who are called to contribute 25 per cent. of their wages, according to a Russian Embassy statement, while immediate assistance has been sent to Britain from Trade Union Funds.

### LAND BUBBLE?

LARGE CORPORATION GOES  
INTO BANKRUPTCY.

BAD FOR FLORIDA.

(Reuter's American Service.)

New York, May 31.

It is reported from Jacksonville that the American-British Improvement Corporation, the Developer of the Florida Club, one of the largest real estate developments in Florida, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy.

The assets are listed at \$2,551,000 and the liabilities at \$3,387,000 (approx.).

TO-DAY'S DOLLAR

The dollar rate of the dollar against the Hong Kong dollar is 1/10.

### STRANGE TALES.

VARIETY AT THE POLICE  
COURTS.

THIS MORNING'S LIST.

An attempt to obtain money by false pretences was disclosed before Major C. Wilson at the Central Magistracy this morning when a Chinese was charged with the offence.

The evidence showed that the complainant, a married woman living at No. 118, Caine Road, received a visit from the defendant with a letter purporting to be signed by Chan Hing-yan, a relative recently transferred from the local office of the Industrial and Commercial Bank to Canton. The letter contained the news that the sender had been arrested at Shum Chun and a sum of \$500 was required as bail. It further requested that a few dollars be handed to the bearer of the news.

Defendant was stated to have given himself away when the name of a friend of the family was mentioned as the person who directed him to the house. This statement was found to be false when the friend was called up on the telephone. He arrived at the house and identified defendant as being concerned in theft of some clothing at a previous date.

In sending defendant to prison for three months, the Magistrate said he felt sure that in addition to the few dollars he was attempting to obtain, defendant would have got away with the \$500 if the money had been handed to him.

Wanted in Singapore.

A Chinese woman was brought before Mr. R. E. Lindsell in connection with a jewellery theft in Singapore.

She was arrested on arrival here, and it was stated by Det. Inspector T. Murphy that a label on her luggage corresponded with the first case in the warrant.

Defendant was remanded for one week.

A Varying Story.

Found carrying two lead boiler plates, a Chinese cargo coolie implicated a fellow worker only to confess before the Magistrate that each stole one plate.

The first defendant received fourteen days in prison, and the other, a minor, was ordered ten strokes with a cane.

Cooked His Own Goose!

Charged with unlawful possession of a piece of cotton cloth, a Chinese claimed to have received the article from a stranger. Asked to explain how this could be so, he quickly replied that the stranger, like himself, slept in the streets.

The explanation did not go far on the face of the thumb print record which showed a conviction for stealing a cooked goose.

Defendant was given four weeks' hard labour.

### LABOUR OFFICE.

AUSTRALIAN DELEGATE'S  
CRITICISM!

DIRECTOR'S REPORT.

(Reuter's Service.)

Geneva, May 31.

In the debate at the Labour Conference on the Report of the Director of the Labour Office and notably in regard to the non-ratification of the Hours Convention, the South African delegate was most eulogistic as regards the report and generally the work of the Labour Office.

On the other hand Mr. Beasley, the workers' delegate from Australia, was more critical. He felt that "the report lacks the directness necessary even to give effect to the ratification already agreed for at this conference and lacks doing something tangible to better the social conditions of the workers."

Mr. Beasley was also criticised with the work accomplished at Geneva, and added that for this reason it had been decided to call a conference at Honolulu of all workers in the Pacific to discuss the matter, because there was a probability of the next war occurring in that region.

In two attacks by dogs reported yesterday, Mr. Beaumont of No. 10, Canton Road, was one of the injured persons belonging to the Chinese community.

### GEN. CHANG.

HIS PLANS TO EXTEND  
SCOPE.

KEEP FIRES BURNING.

How General Chang Kai-shek will endeavour to keep his home fires burning in Canton while pushing ahead with the expedition against other provinces, is briefly outlined in a cable to the "Washington Post."

It is stated that Gen. Chang will establish his headquarters in Amoy prefecture (i.e., at Shuiwan, on the North River) where he will control the various quarters and direct the military. Should his vanguard push ahead into Hunan province, he will proceed thither.

At present he is at the Military Council (in Canton), detailing plans to preserve order "in the rear."

### "COMMON SERVICE."

AMERICA'S CONTRIBUTION TO  
PEACE.

PRESIDENT SPEAKS.

(Reuter's American Service.)

Washington, May 31.

"Common sense" should be America's contribution to world peace, declared President Coolidge in the course of a Memorial Day address at Arlington National Cemetery.

He said that the Americans believed that other nations ought to join them in laying aside suspicions and hatreds sufficiently to agree among themselves upon the methods of mutual relief from the necessity of maintaining great land and sea armaments. This was the only way, he said, to avoid a resort to war for the redress of their wrongs and the enforcement of their rights. The League of Nations ought to be able to provide those countries with a certain political guarantee which the United States did not require; also, the World Court could certainly be used for the determination of all justifiable disputes.

The Americans should not underestimate the difficulties of the European nations, nor fail to extend to them the highest degree of patience and sympathy.

"But, we cannot fail to assert our conviction that they are in great need of further limitations of armaments." The United States entered the preliminary Disarmament Conference with the utmost good faith and in the sincere belief that it represented the utmost good faith on the part of the other participants. They wanted to see the problems there presented stripped of all technicalities and solved in a way that would secure practical results. They were ready to support every effort in that direction.

Those War Debts.

President Coolidge declared that the foreign war debts were liquidated on a broad moral and humanitarian basis. He added that he believed that the adjustments made would be mutually beneficial to the trade relations of the countries involved and out these economic benefits there would be derived additional guarantees for the stability of the peace of the world.

WAR SHYNESS.

Spirit of Republic Founders Alive.

Philadelphia, May 31. Showers of rain did not dampen the enthusiasm of the thousands who gathered for the bicentennial of America's independence. The proceedings opened with a salute of 150 guns and Mr. Kellogg and Mr. Hoover made speeches.

Mr. Kellogg assured his hearers that the spirit animating the founders of the Republic was alive to-day, but America's reluctance to participate in war had often been shown both by her participation in international arms conferences and by other ways in which she had encouraged the cause of peace.

Col. and Mrs. F. J. Griffin are passing through on their way to Manila by the "President Jackson."

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 TACOMA MARU ... Monday, 7th June.  
 SUMATRA MARU ... Saturday, 19th June.  
 CALCUTTA—Via Singapore and Rangoon.  
 BINGO MARU ... Friday, 25th June.  
 HANGKOK—Via Saigon.  
 SEKKOW MARU ... Wednesday, 2nd June.  
 VICTORIA, SEATTLE, TACOMA & VANCOUVER—Via Shanghai and Japan Ports.  
 AFRICA MARU ... From Shanghai Tuesday, 8th June.  
 DURBAN, DEAGOA BAY, BEIRA, DAR-ES-SALAAM, ZANZIBAR & MOMBASA—Via Singapore & Colombo.  
 PANAMA MARU ... Wednesday, 23rd June.  
 NEW YORK—Via Japan ports, San Francisco & Panama.  
 HAVANA MARU ... (From Shanghai) Saturday 28th June.  
 JAPAN PORTS  
 HAMBURG MARU ... Thursday, 17th June.  
 AMAZON MARU ... Sunday, 20th June.  
 SEATTLE MARU ... Thursday, 24th June.  
 ROTSU MARU ... Sunday, 6th June, Noon.  
 KALIN MARU ... Sunday, 13th June noon.  
 TAKAO—via SWATOW & AMOY ... Wednesday, 2nd June 10 a.m.  
 SOURABAYA MARU ... Monday, 21st June.  
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TO-DAY'S ARRIVALS AND CLEARANCES.

**THE MORNING LIST.**

This morning, the following sea-going arrivals at Hongkong were reported:—  
 Jeypore (3209) Br., from Bombay, Singapore; M. M. & Co.  
 Hydrangea (561) Br., from Kwong-chow-wan; Chiu On.  
 Carmarthenshire (496) Br., from Otara, Shanghai; J. M. & Co.  
 Antenor (6809) Br., from Taku Bar, Shanghai; B. & S.  
 Ambassador (2658) Br., from Barry, Sabang; Bank Line.  
 Glentara (4123) Br., from London, Singapore; J. M. & Co.  
 Kueichow (1220) Br., from Tientsin, Weihaiwei; B. & S.  
 Tonkin (848) Fr., from Haiphong; M. M.  
 President Jackson (8377) Am., from Seattle, Shanghai; Admiral Line.  
 Marosa (830) Norw., from Batavia-Basar; Thoresen.  
 Wakasa Maru (3777) Jap., from Yokohama, Moji; N. Y. K.  
 Ceylon Maru (2996) Jap., from Yokohama, Moji; N. Y. K.  
 Kashima Maru (6148) Jap., from Middleborough, Singapore; N.Y.K.  
 Phranang (1022) Chinese, from Quinhon; Chau Yuet Teng.

**DEPARTURES.**

For Amoy: Chenan, Halyang, Halching.  
 For Shanghai: Jeypore, Tjicon-dari.  
 For Kwong-chow-wan: Sun Li.  
 For Batavia: Cheribon Maru.  
 For Singapore: Hopsang.  
 For Miri: Wabasha.

**CLEARANCES.**

For Haiphong: New Mathilde.  
 For Manila: Trolus, Tania.  
 For Amoy: Kueichow.  
 For Shanghai: Kashima Maru.  
 For Singapore: Ceylon Maru.

**PASSENGER LIST.****ARRIVALS.**

List of passengers arrived by the s.s. "President Jackson" from America via Ports on May 31:—  
 Miss I. Ahwee, Mr. G. J. Bergland, Mr. F. R. Carlin, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Chen, Master Chen, Mr. S. S. Fan, Mr. Gedmundsen, Prof. and Mrs. T. P. Hallenbeck, Mr. Harmanen, Mrs. Hom Shee, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lamond, Master Henry Lamond, Mr. and Mrs. Lo Man-kai, Miss Lo, Mr. Dale W. Maher, Mr. William McDonald, Miss M. McGrann, Mr. Tam Mon-yee, Mr. Tso Jo-wan, Mr. K. Valley, Mr. T. B. Williams, Mr. Wong Hick-yuen, Mr. Wong Ning-chuen and Mr. Henry Y. Zee.

**ALLEGED "DISOBEYING."**

Mr. M. J. Quist, Consul-General for the Netherlands, appeared at the Marine Court this morning to watch the interests of a case in which John Pater, a seaman of Dutch nationality, employed on board the British vessel "Grange Park," was charged (on remand) with disobeying the lawful commands of the master.  
 Accused had pleaded sickness. The Magistrate now awaits the result of a medical examination at the Government Civil Hospital.

On the outward voyage of the "President Jackson" (now in port) there were two cases of tuberculosis.

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 17—J.O.J.L. Tjicon-dari

FOOCHOW:  
 June 2—D. L. Haining  
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 June 2—N.Y.K. Totori Maru  
 3—N.Y.K. Moji Maru  
 4—P. & O. Padua  
 5—O.S.K. Yatsuhiko  
 6—N.Y.K. Totsu Maru  
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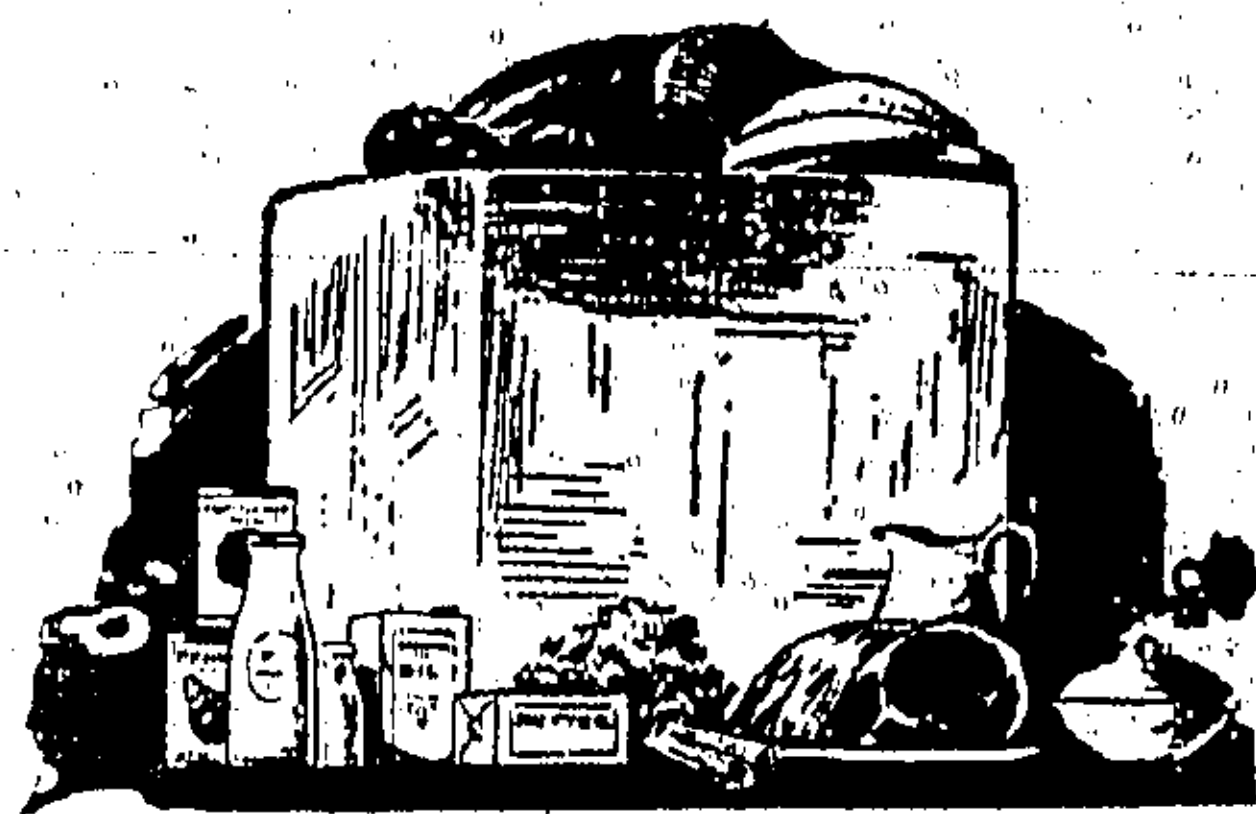
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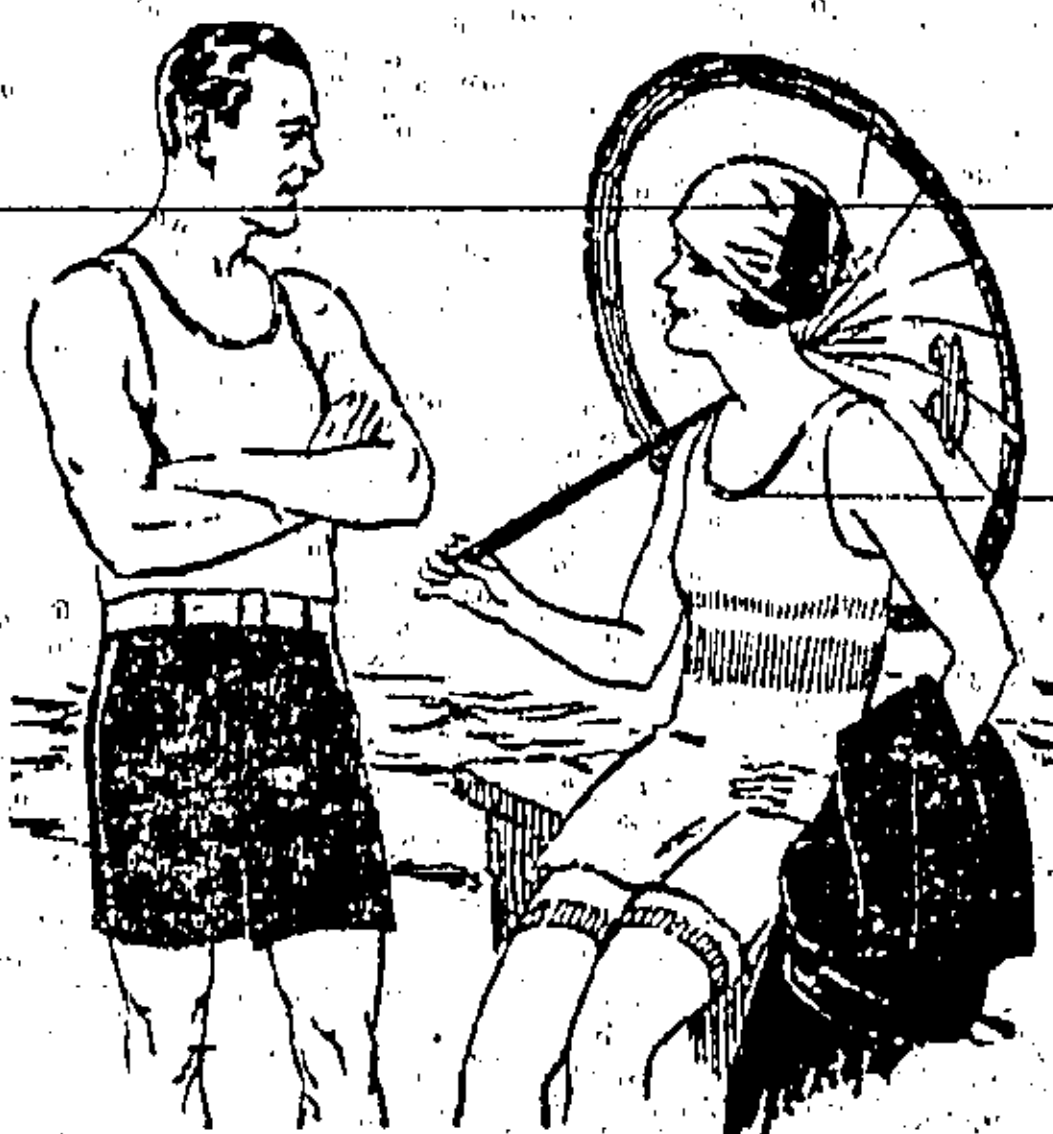


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### BIRTH.

**FRUGNIET.**—On May 23, 1936,  
at No. 35, Dhoby Ghaut,  
Singapore, to Ivy (née  
Pearce) wife of M. W. Frug-  
niet, a son.

### DEATHS.

**EDWARDS.**—On May 24, at 63,  
Scotts Road, Singapore,  
Esme, dearly beloved wife of  
E. C. Edwards.

**HANSON.**—At the General Hos-  
pital, Singapore, on May 25,  
Mrs. E. H. Hanson, aged 80.

**KERNICK.**—At Singapore, on  
May 24, Henry William, aged  
38 years, beloved husband of  
Constance Kernick.

**LOWNDES.**—At Singapore, on  
May 24, the result of a motor  
accident, Percy Norman  
Lowndes, aged 42.

### ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Lady Chater desires to thank  
friends for their kind expressions  
of sympathy in her great bereave-  
ment and for the many floral  
tributes.

Hongkong, Tuesday, June 1, 1936.

### "NO FLOWERS."

A plea for some reforms in  
respect of local funerals seems  
both necessary and timely. The  
subject may by some be regarded  
at first sight as a  
delicate one, but on a  
closer examination it should  
be agreed that neither indecency  
nor irreverence need cloud the  
issue.

Nearly a couple of decades ago  
the Chinese commenced a burial  
reform movement which was  
taken up throughout China and  
Malaya with good results. All  
that was considered was whether  
the time was ripe for reform. In  
the course of time Chinese  
funerals on the reform system be-  
came quite common. There was no  
acute controversy, no heart-burn-  
ings, no domestic bitterness—all  
of which testified to the sound  
commonsense of the leaders of  
the Chinese community.

In regard to the funerals of non-  
Chinese residents of this Colony it  
must have occurred to many  
people what a great waste of  
money is involved in the purchase  
of wreaths and similar floral tri-  
butes—all purchased from Chi-  
nese. Is the sending of wreaths  
the outcome of mere sentiment  
or the very human desire to do  
as others do? A tribute to be

departed may seem fitting and  
proper. But why should it in-  
volve a senseless waste of good  
money on wreaths that fade and  
die all too soon? Would the rela-  
tives and personal friends of one  
who has passed away not have  
the gloom of their bereavement  
relieved in some more practical  
way? That many do recognise  
that the purchase of a wreath may  
be equivalent to throwing money  
away is evidenced by the increas-  
ing number of funeral notices to  
which is appended the intimation:  
"No flowers by request." In Vic-  
torian and early Edwardian days  
it was considered to be the "cor-  
rect thing" on the occasion of a  
death, to spend pounds and pounds  
on the purchase of heavy mourn-  
ing attire—a custom that made  
considerably poorer many a family  
who had lost the breadwinner. In  
course of time better counsels pre-  
vailed, and to-day the expenditure  
on mourning has been cut down to  
a minimum that would have  
shocked the dear old folk three or  
four decades ago.

Why cannot the non-Chinese  
community here go a step further  
and eliminate wreaths and floral  
tributes from funerals? Why  
perpetuate a custom that has  
scarcely one good point in its  
favour? Let us throw conserva-  
tism, or "old custom" or anything  
else you like to call it, to the  
winds instead of putting money in  
the pockets of Chinese flower ven-  
dors for that whose beauty is a  
matter of hours or days? If it is  
felt that a tangible tribute is called  
for, is there no other means of  
doing honour to those who have  
passed away? Instead of pur-  
chasing a wreath, why should not  
an equivalent sum be sent by each  
individual to, say, the Rev. G. P.  
Waldegrave, who is recognised as  
a sort of central charitable  
bureau and who could be relied  
upon to ensure that such money  
was spent in the sweet cause of  
charity—the most pressing claim  
of all in every community? Such  
a scheme appears to us simple and  
practicable in every way. Indeed,  
a tribute to those whose loss we  
mourn could not well assume a  
nobler form than a voluntary  
donation to a central charitable  
fund. What do our readers  
think?

There is one more phase of local  
"foreign" funerals that likewise  
calls for comment. Outside the  
Services, the Police, and similar  
bodies, why should it be left to  
Chinese to carry a coffin from the  
hearse to the graveside? Is this  
also the outcome of a custom that  
has been permitted to grow? Why  
cannot non-Chinese pall-bearers  
volunteer for such a solemn duty?  
Surely a hint would be quite suf-  
ficient for a dozen to perform this  
task at every funeral of a for-  
eigner. The present system cer-  
tainly calls for some reform, and  
it cannot be inflated too soon.

A paint scraper at the Talkoo  
Docks received injuries to his  
head in a fall from a life boat on  
the s.s. "Seang Hee" yesterday.

A Chinese youth was hurt in  
the street when he was struck  
down by a motor car at the junction  
of Queen's Road West and  
Pocklington Road yesterday.

### CORRESPONDENCE.

#### THE LATE SIR PAUL CHATER.

(To the Editor of the China Mail.)

Sir,—By the passing of Sir  
Paul Chater, the Colony has sus-  
tained an immeasurable loss and  
the memory of this, one of the  
most illustrious citizens of his  
time, will forever be held in the  
history and future development of  
this Colony.

As a resident of the Colony, the  
late Sir Paul Chater had given  
his full time and money for the  
general welfare of the island and  
its inhabitants and stood a  
noble example of a generous bene-  
factor, a business man of marked  
ability and last but not least, a  
man born with the true virtues  
and an Empire Patriot. It is only  
fitting that as a recognition of  
Sir Paul's wonderful realisation  
of one's duty of citizenship that a  
life-size statue of Sir Paul should  
be put up in an appropriate  
place. I would suggest that as  
Sir Paul was actually the citizen  
who rendered the greatest ser-  
vice in the public affairs of the  
Colony, the cost of erection of the  
statue should be borne by the  
Government as a permanent mem-  
orial to her most noble citizen  
and benefactor.

Yours etc.,

Hongkong, May 31.

### LONG SERVICE.

#### ST. JOHN AMBULANCE AWARDS.

#### CEREMONIAL PARADE.

The completion of ten years'  
service with the St. John Am-  
bulance Brigade of Mr. E. Ralphs,  
Assistant Commissioner, and Dr.  
W. V. M. Koch, District Surgeon,  
was made the occasion yesterday  
of a ceremonial parade on the part  
of the local corps.

Long service medals were pre-  
sented to the two officers by His  
Excellency the Governor.

His Excellency was received at  
the West entrance by Mr. E.  
Ralphs, Commissioner, and other  
officers of the corps and accom-  
panied by Capt. H. B. L.  
Dowbiggin, H.K.V.D.C. (Hon-  
orary, A.D.C.), proceeded to the  
saluting base. On  
arrival there the pipe and drum  
band of the 1st Battalion East  
Surrey Regiment played the  
National Anthem, the parade,  
formed in a hollow square, stand-  
ing at the salute.

After inspecting the corps and  
shaking hands with the officers  
in command of each section, His  
Excellency returned to the salu-  
ting base where he pinned the Long  
Service medal on the breasts of  
the recipients.

After a march past of all those  
on parade, His Excellency left the  
ground and the ceremony came to  
an end.

### HOUSES SOLD.

After an increase of nearly two  
and a half thousand dollars, three  
houses situated in Baker Street,  
Hung Hom, were sold yesterday at  
the China Auction rooms to Mrs.  
Chan Kwok-shi for the sum of  
\$13,400.

The lot, offered by Mr. E. V. M. R.  
de Souza, the auctioneer, comprised  
Sub-section 2 of Section A of  
Hung Hom Lot No. 239, together  
with the buildings erected thereon  
known as Nos. 20, 22, and 24 Baker  
Street. The property has an area  
of 2,445 square feet or thereabouts.

The bidding was started at  
\$11,000.

Twelve bids of two hundred  
dollars each took the price to  
\$13,400.

### TAKE THIS BEFORE GOING.

Do you want to be that unfortunate  
person whose coughing at church,  
concert, lecture or theatre, blots out  
the word we most want to hear?  
Chamberlain's Cough Remedy helps  
those embarrassed ones, quickly puts  
an end to coughing and choking throat.  
For sale everywhere.

### The Morning After in Hongkong.

"Oh Grave where is thy victory, Oh Death where is thy sting?  
Are the only words which meet the case, after a Hongkong 'bing'  
You wake up, feeling tired and also feeling blue.  
You've got a splitting headache and a mouth filled up with glue.  
The bed-clothes are all sticky and the pillow is all wet.  
Not with honest labour but a nasty muggy sweat.  
The mosquito net is broken and you're bitten everywhere.  
But you're too dazed and weak to brush them off or even raise a swear.

The boy comes in with cup of tea and says your bath is right  
So you stagger down the passage, a sad revolting sight.  
You wash and shave and powder in a bathroom like a hearse.  
But instead of feeling better you feel a darned sight worse.

Your shirt, your socks and other things are damp and clammy too.  
Your collar seems a size too small and tie is all askew.  
In fact the whole o' World is wrong and things seem upside down.  
You try and smile but hurt your face, and so instead you frown.

And thoughts of him and her with a nasty greasy kiss  
Don't seem to back you up at all, instead you have a kiss  
And as you all and ruminate you take again a drink  
You'll stay at home and read a book and not go on the street.  
—RAIN BIRD

### MEMORIAL SERVICE.

#### CATHEDRAL TRIBUTE TO MR. HOLYOAK.

#### BISHOP'S ADDRESS.

A memorial service to the late  
Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak, held in  
St. John's Cathedral, yesterday  
evening, was attended by His  
Excellency the Governor and staff  
and members of official bodies,  
among these present being:

Captain H. B. L. Dowbiggin  
(Hon. A.D.C.), Commodore Stirling,  
R.N., Sir Shou-son Chow, Hon. Mr.  
E. R. Hallifax, Hon. Mr. J. H.  
Kemp, Hon. Mr. H. T. Cressy, Hon.  
Mr. H. W. Bird, Hon. Dr. R. H.  
Kotewall, Hon. Mr. C. Mei Messer,  
Hon. Mr. D. G. M. Bernard, Hon.  
Mr. A. O. Lang, Hon. Mr. E. D. G.  
Wolfe, Mr. Justice J. R. Wood,  
Mr. C. D. Melbourne, Mr. D.  
Burlingham, Captain Bloxham, Dr.  
E. P. Minett, Mr. E. Ralphs, Dr.  
W. V. M. Koch, Dr. Woo, Messrs.  
N. L. Smith, W. E. L. Shenton, P.  
Lauder, C. S. Archbutt, D. H.  
Cameron, Li Yue-shun, Ho Kom-  
tong, Ho Kwong, and C. La French.

Approximately 150 Masonic  
lodges were represented among  
the officers present being:

Mr. J. M. McHutchison, D.G.S.W.  
in charge, Mr. E. J. Edwards,  
D.D.G.M. (S.C.), Officers of D.G.L.  
(E.C.), Officers of D.G.L. (S.C.),  
Acting Master, Officers and  
Brethren of Zetland, Victoria, Per-  
severance, United Services Lodges,  
and representatives of Star of S.  
China, University, Cathay, St.  
John's, Naval and Military and  
Eastern Scotia Lodges.

The ushers for the service were  
Col. Robertson and Messrs. P. S.  
Casey, W. L. Pattenden and W.  
Jackson.

The clergy taking part in the  
service were: the Right Rev. C. R.  
Duppy, Bishop of Victoria, the  
Rev. H. Copley Moyle, the Rev. G. T.  
Waldegrave, the Rev. G. E. S.  
Upsell, Rev. W. E. L. Martin, the  
Rev. W. T. Featherstone, the Rev.  
N. V. Halward.

"Sojourners Here."

The Bishop based his address  
on the texts.—1st Chronicles,  
29-15. "We are strangers before  
thee, and sojourners as all our  
fathers were: our days on the  
earth are as a shadow and there  
is no abiding," and Hebrews 13-14.  
"We have not here an abiding city  
but we seek after the City which  
is to come."

He said.—The body of our friend  
Percy Hobson Holyoak has already  
been laid to rest and his spirit has  
returned to God who gave it, and  
yet over his memory we find would  
pause awhile and let the thoughts  
which come flooding in at such a  
time as this have their way with  
us—thoughts about life and its  
purpose and of the influence of a  
man's life upon his fellow men.

Time, like an ever rolling stream,  
bears all its sons away. We are  
only strangers and sojourners on  
this earth. That was the thought  
that pressed in upon me yesterday  
as I stood in St. Andrew's Church,  
Kowloon, at the memorial service  
to Catchick Paul Chater and let  
my imagination go back over  
twenty years to the day when the  
foundation stone of that Church  
was laid. I thought of Bishop  
Hoare who dedicated that stone, so  
soon afterwards losing his life in the  
typhoon of 1906, and now  
twenty years later of that grand old  
man of Hongkong laid to rest, that  
master builder who has left Hong-  
kong and Kowloon as his memorial,  
and thought of all that has happen-  
ed in the world and in this place  
since then. And as to-day we think  
of our brother Percy Hobson  
Holyoak, cut down in his prime,  
with so many unfinished projects in  
his hands, the words of David come  
again to my mind—"We are  
strangers and sojourners before  
thee: our days on the earth are a  
shadow and there is no abiding."

The race of man has encamped  
upon this earth for countless  
generations and yet it has been an  
encampment only, not a possession.  
"One generation goeth and another  
cometh but the Earth abideth  
forever."  
We have been cast by the weaver  
of time on an unknown shore, and  
could be said of him.

And he was a man of grit and  
determination. You had only to  
look into those eyes of his to know  
that. He met with his share of  
reverses as well as success, but he  
was never beaten, for before a  
man can be beaten at his task he  
must be beaten in his own soul,  
and this he never was. And to  
anyone who knew him in the deeper  
side of his nature it was apparent  
from whom he put his trust. It was  
the Most High.

Man goeth forth for his work and  
to his labour until the evening, but  
he who doeth the will of God  
abideth for ever.

"How they ring out! I hope  
there will be trumpets in Heaven,"  
Burns Jones said. "That is what he  
wanted at Browning's funeral." This  
trumpet, clangorous, triumphant.

And to Percy Hobson Holyoak we  
may truly apply those words which  
Browning applied to himself.

One who never turned his  
back but marched straight for-  
ward.

Never doubted clouds would  
break,  
Never dreamed, though right  
were worsted, wrong would  
triumph.

Held we full to the risk, are  
buffed by light better,  
Sleep to wake.

are waiting for the rising tide to  
bear us out again to sea.

God's Strangers.  
But such is not our deepest be-  
lief about life. We are strangers and  
sojourners, but we are something  
more. We are God's strangers: We  
have here no abiding city, but God  
has prepared for us a City.

Heaven is behind this passing  
show of earth. Heaven the region  
of reality, of things that are.  
We are in this world as God's  
strangers, cast upon his care and  
protection, his poor guests, may  
say, rather his friends. And be-  
hind all our life is the providence  
and purpose of God. God is at  
work in all history and in the life  
of every man. It is He who gives  
to each his daily bread and leadeth  
him by ways that they know not.

You remember how St. Paul takes  
an old Jewish legend and uses it  
to illustrate his belief about the  
Providence of God. The Rabbis  
used to say the rock which Moses  
struck and from which the water  
gushed out was round like a bee-  
hive and rolled along in the desert  
after the people so that they never  
needed to thirst again. This, St.  
Paul tells us, was their way of  
saying that God was about them all  
the time. That it was not just a  
case of a miracle here and there on  
the desert march these forty years  
but all was miracle and wonder.

We are strangers, but God's  
strangers, and about us in all our  
goings are the everlasting arms.  
On this earth we have no con-  
tinuing city, but God has prepared  
for us a City.

The one far off divine event to  
which the whole creation moves is  
a common life, a life of fellowship,  
the life of a City where there shall  
be no night, no pain, no death,  
where the curse has been taken  
away.

And in this city, God's servants  
shall continue to do His service.  
Death is not a breaking off, it is  
a removal of limitations, a setting  
free of old powers for new develop-  
ments. All instincts immature, all  
purposes unsure, shall find their  
full development when that which  
is in part shall be done away.

What here is faithfully begun  
shall be completed, not undone.  
Things learnt on earth.

We shall practise in Heaven.  
We have thought for a little  
about life and its meaning, now  
let us consider what a man can do  
among his fellow men. "A man"  
said Isaiah "shall be as a hiding  
place from the wind, and as a  
covert from the tempest, as the  
shadow of a great rock in a weary  
land." A man, that is, shall be  
both a shelter and a fountain of  
force to his fellows.

A Fountain of Force.  
I think, we may truly say of  
Percy Hobson Holyoak that he was  
both a fountain of force and a  
shelter. He was a man with a big  
spirit and a big, kindly constant  
heart. A man of high ideals and  
wide sympathies. He was an out-  
standing character among us. His  
positions on the Councils, his  
chairmanship over a long period of  
the Chamber of Commerce, of the  
Alice Memorial Hospital, as Pres-  
ident of the Hongkong Boy Scouts  
Association, as Vice-Chairman of  
the Y.M.C.A., all attest to this.  
He was a man who loved his home  
and yet did not spare himself in  
public service with all its heavy  
demands. A man of no half  
measures, who always saw through  
to the end what he undertook.

Those who know him as leader of  
English Freemasonry in this Colony  
can testify to the high ideals for  
which he stood; he regarded his  
position as District Grand Master  
as a sacred trust and never tired  
of keeping before him those high  
ideals of brotherhood and charity  
for which Masonry stands.  
I hope the Masonic service start-  
ed this year will be kept up to his  
memory. He was a man of  
integrity, a man much beloved.  
"Steel true, blade straight,"  
"The great artificer made my  
mate."

And he was a man of grit and  
determination. You had only to  
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## FOURTH REVOLT.

DICTATORSHIP SET UP IN PORTUGAL.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, May 31.

The "Daily News" Lisbon correspondent says the military insurrection has spread all over the country, and the President of the Republic has conferred with the revolutionary delegates and has consented to their demand to rule the country.

London, May 31.

The fourth revolution within twelve months, and the twenty-fifth since King Manoel was overthrown, has ended in the establishment of what is practically a military dictatorship, making the fifth now in Europe, the others being Italy, Spain, Greece and Poland.

News from Lisbon is meagre, but apparently the coup was accomplished without firing a shot. The Da Silva Government was taken by surprise. After issuing the usual communique on Saturday that the Government were controlling the situation, they had to admit later that the revolutionaries were marching on Lisbon, and that it was impossible to send Government troops to check the advance as the railways refused transport.

A proclamation by General Da Costa, the Commander of the Portuguese troops in France during the war, who started the revolt at Braga, says the movement was intended to save the country from politicians who are ruining Portugal.

Later.

The success of the military revolt in Portugal is apparent by the announcement from Lisbon that the President of the Republic has charged the leader of the revolutionary forces, Commander Mendes Cabecadas, with the task of forming a Cabinet.

Cabecadas has accepted, and has provisionally taken over control of all the portfolios. Cabecadas, interviewed, declared the Government would consist of civil and military personages quite outside the political parties, and in perfect agreement with the delegates of the military divisions.

[There have been several minor revolutionary movements in Portugal in recent years. Until 1910, Portugal was a monarchy, but in October of that year a Republic was proclaimed, after a short revolution, and King Manoel II, who had succeeded to the throne on the assassination of his father and elder brother two years earlier, fled the country. He has since resided in England. Dr. Manoel de Arriaga was the first President, and he held office until 1915. The present President is Dr. Manoel Teixeira Gomez. Only a few months ago, there was an abortive revolutionary outbreak. Personal ambitions of political and military leaders and rivals underlie Portugal's unsettled administrations.]

## MAY 30.

DETAILS OF SUNDAY'S RIOTING.

(Reuter's Service.)

Shanghai, May 31.

The whole city this morning was quiet, tram and bus services operating normally. There were no extra police on the streets, and nothing to show that Shanghai yesterday was the scene of serious rioting.

The police are well satisfied at the present state of affairs, and do not anticipate further serious disorders. Yesterday's rioting appears to have been general throughout the city, but in every case the police were able to control the situation without resorting to firearms.

The three days strike called by the Labour and Students' Union has proved a dismal failure. Shops are all open, and the great majority of labourers are at work, and the merchants and better class Chinese seem determined to oppose all violence.

Later.

The police are still vigilant. Three students were arrested this morning for distributing inflammatory handbills, and propaganda parties continue to incite gatherings in Shanghai and contiguous districts.

Sporadic stone throwing occurred last night, many foreigners being molested. In one case the mob besieged a foreign house, where foreigners had retreated. In some instances shots were fired in the air and to the ground to disperse the mobs. A number of motor-cars were damaged, one belonging to a Japanese being burnt.

Notices urging the anti-British and anti-Japanese boycott have been posted up. Students at three Universities and two women's colleges have not returned to their studies, and intend to conduct open-air propaganda.

## EVOLUTION.

REVIVAL OF THE SCOPES CASE.

LAW ATTACKED.

(Reuter's American Service.)

Nashville (Tennessee), May 31.

The Scopes evolution case has been revived with an appeal before the State Supreme Court, in which Scopes's counsel has carefully prepared his argument. He attacks the law on the ground that it



J. W. Scopes.

violates the Tennessee and United States Constitutions, which guarantee liberty of conscience, religion, and speech.

On the other hand Mr. William Jennings Bryan, junior, has submitted a written argument in support of the anti-Evolution law.

[The Scopes trial to test the validity of the anti-Evolution law in the State of Tennessee was begun at Dayton on July 10 last year. The Judge upheld the objection of the prosecution, which was conducted by Mr. W. J. Bryans, to scientific evidence. The jury found Scopes guilty and he was fined \$80 (gold). Notice of appeal was given. Three days later Mr. W. J. Bryans was found dead in bed.]

## HUMAN LIBRARY.

SPEECH BY PRINCE OF WALES.

A USEFUL INSTITUTE.

(British Wireless Service.)

Rugby, May 31.

When H.R.H. the Prince of Wales delivered an address at the Institute of International Affairs to-day he announced that His Majesty the King had commanded that the word "Royal" should be added to the title of the Institute in future.

The Prince opened the Institute two years ago, and to-day he opened a lecture hall.

In his speech the Prince explained the origin and object of the Institute. He recalled how until recently there had been recognised or chartered societies devoted to the study of nearly every important subject except international relations. This Institute was brought into being to fill the gap.

Study of Facts.

The Prince continued: "For public men who have always to work against time it is most difficult to frame accurate and connected accounts of recent events. Directors of banks and concerns which do business abroad are constantly faced with problems of international relations. No less than men in public life do they need facilities for studying facts. A flourishing branch Institute has already been established in Australia to perform a similar purpose there. And it is hoped that in time members in other parts of the British commonwealth may also combine to form branch Institutes."

Personal Touch.

"The Institute is also attempting the more essential and difficult task of creating a human library of information which has not been written. It is endeavouring to keep itself in touch with persons of every point of view who have recent and special information on each country and each problem in the field of international relations and to secure for its members facilities for a free and intimate discussion with such people so as to enable them to arrive at conclusions for themselves."

Groups of members already exist for the special study of subjects like the Balkans, the Near East, China and the Pacific, disarmament, reparations, etc., bringing together people who approach these questions from entirely different angles."

## STEEL ALLOY.

NEW DISCOVERY AT SHEFFIELD.

(Reuter's Service.)

Sheffield, May 31.

Steelmakers at Hadfields announce the discovery of a new steel alloy withstanding abnormal temperatures, and claim a gas turbine constructed with this will run at the colossal speed of 55,000 revolutions per minute in a temperature of 1,850 degrees Fahrenheit.

## COMMUNIST'S END.

CREATES SURPRISE TO RELATIVES.

(Reuter's Service.)

Paris, May 31.

The laconic announcement of the death of the well-known French Communist, Tomas, in Russia has astounded Tomas's family, as they had not heard of the illness of Tomas, who was investigating Soviet Trade Unions.

## DECLINED.

PILSUDSKI WILL NOT BE PRESIDENT.

(Reuter's Service.)

Warsaw, May 31.

General Pilsudski has been elected President of Poland.

Later.

General Pilsudski has declined the Presidency because the Constitution does not authorise the President to dissolve Parliament.

## DANISH FLIGHT.

(Reuter's Service.)

Osaka, May 31.

Commander Botved has arrived here.

## THE PHILIPPINE BUDGET.

GENERAL WOOD TO KEEP CLOSE WATCH.

Governor General Wood in a communication addressed from Baguio to the secretary of finance definitely outlined his policy to govern the preparation of the insular budget for 1927. There are to be no salary increases and promotions and expenditures are to be adjusted to estimated income, preferably limiting them to the same total authorised in this year's appropriation act.

The only new public works projects specifically recommended by the governor general are the new post office building and the new wall in the port of Aparri, the first to cost approximately P3,000,000 and the latter P200,000. Where new expenditures are proposed, new sources of revenue should be also recommended, the chief executive suggests.

The letter of the governor general dated May 18 follows:—

"My dear Mr. Secretary: Referring to the budget for 1927, I wish that it should be based on the same principles and limitations governing the present year's appropriations. This ought to be insisted upon in view of expected fall in internal revenue collections."

"The allotments to be requested by the bureau of public works will be considerable, but in considering them we should take into account the fact that that office this year will have available for its activities about P2,000,000 from the gasoline tax."

"Regarding promotions we should follow the general policy adopted some time ago to the effect that no promotions be allowed, except in cases where vacancies occur thus making room for employees occupying positions immediately beneath such vacancies."

"Undoubtedly proposals will be submitted to appropriate funds for special projects. They should be considered upon their merits. I hope we shall be able to find means of providing an appropriation for the construction of the sea-wall in Aparri and also for the new post office building in Manila."

"The estimates of expenditures to be submitted to the legislature should be within estimated revenues."

"I shall take up this matter in detail when I return to Manila."

Sincerely yours,

(Signed) LEONARD WOOD.

LUMBAGO.

THIS is a condition of the muscles of the back. It is a very painful condition, and is often mistaken for rheumatism. It is caused by a strain of the muscles, and is often relieved by a massage. It is a very common condition, and is often relieved by a massage.

## A HOLIDAY TRAGEDY.

TWO EUROPEANS KILLED AT SINGAPORE.

Singapore, May 28.—Two well-known and popular members of the European community of Singapore were the victims of a motor accident which occurred on the Keppel Road on Monday night. The deceased are Mr. P. N. Lowndes and Mr. H. W. Kernick, both of whom had resided in Singapore for a number of years and were very popular among a wide circle of friends.

There were no actual eyewitnesses of the accident, although a number of people were on the scene very shortly after it happened. Thus, the manner in which the accident occurred must remain something of a mystery even after the Singapore Coroner, Mr. F. G. Bourne, has held his inquest on Friday morning. The accident occurred at about half past eight and at the time, according to the statement of a police officer who was on the scene almost immediately there was no other traffic on the road for a considerable distance.

Mr. Kernick and Mr. Lowndes were in an Essex car on their way from town to Pasir Panjang, and from the fact that the driving wheel was still clutched in his hands after the accident, it is apparent that Mr. Kernick was driving. Just before Gate No. 4 the road takes a sharp bend to the left and marks on the road show that instead of taking the bend the car ran almost directly across to the right hand side of the road, the off wheels running into the drain. It appears that the car travelled in this way for a short distance until the rear axle came into such violent contact with a concrete stone at the side of the road that both motorists were thrown out of the car. They sustained such severe injuries that death must have occurred almost immediately.

The police constable on duty at Gate No. 4, his attention attracted by the noise of the accident, and a number of other people, were quickly on the spot. Mr. Lowndes, whose body was found in the drain, was considerably injured about the head and had also sustained a fracture of the skull. Mr. Kernick's skull was also fractured.

Information was immediately given to the police and Inspector Meaton arrived from Sepoy Lines Police Station and removed the bodies to the General Hospital. The car was left lying at the side of the road, where, by some means or another, it caught fire about half an hour later and was completely gutted.

An additionally distressing feature of the fatality is the fact that Mr. Kernick leaves a wife and four children in England. Mrs. Kernick went home a few months ago. Both Mr. Lowndes and Mr. Kernick were formerly in the employ of the Singapore Tramway Company. At the time of his death Mr. Kernick was power station superintendent at the depot of the Singapore Traction Co. Mr. Lowndes, who was unmarried, left the Tramway Company four years ago in order to go to Mexico. Upon his return to Malaya he spent six months in Borneo and joined Mr. L. T. Wakford as a partner in the business of consulting engineers here twelve months ago.

"S.F.P."

## EXCLUDED FROM JAPAN.

KOBE MERCHANTS' APPEAL FOR CHINESE.

Peking, May 18.—The Chinese Chamber of Commerce at Kobe has wired to the Peking Chamber of Commerce urging it to bring up the question of the exclusion of Chinese by the Japanese Government authorities. According to the telegram, the original idea of the Japanese Home Ministry was to exclude Chinese labourers from Japan; but now the exclusion has been extended to Chinese barbers, tailors, painters as well as employees of Chinese restaurants and consequently, many Chinese third-class passengers who recently arrived at Kobe and Osaka were not allowed to land by the Japanese police and turned back without examination. On account of this, the Chinese employers suffered serious losses. It is believed that the Government will take up the question with the Japanese Legation shortly as the exclusion of Chinese workers is a violation of Sino-Japanese treaties.

## Shadows Before.

COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCED IN THE "MAIL."

Entertainments.

June 1—Queen's Theatre: "Quo Vadis."

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June 1—World Theatre: "House Peters in 'Combat'."

June 5—Special King's Birthday dinner dance in Hongkong Hotel roof garden, 8 p.m. to midnight.

June 5—Dancing display by Miss V. Capelli's pupils at City Hall, 9.30 p.m.

June 9—The pupils of Miss Violet Capelli will dance at the City Hall, at 5.15 p.m.

Sports.

June 1—Billiard Match: C. Falkner v. W. Brown at Institute of Engineers and Shipbuilders, 5.10 p.m.

June 5—Third Race Meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club, at the Race Course, Happy Valley.

Auctions.

June 2—Messrs. Lammert Bros. will auction valuable leasehold properties at their Sales Room, 3 p.m.

June 4—Household furniture at No. 2 Armand Building (ground floor), Kowloon, by Lammert Bros., 2.45 p.m.

Company Meeting.

June 10—Forty-fifth meeting of Indo-China Steam Navigation Co., Ltd., at Messrs. Jardine, Matheson's offices, Pedder St., noon.

Miscellaneous.

June 1-5—Dollar Week at Messrs. Whiteaway, Laidlaw &amp; Co., Ltd.

June 1—Finals in the H.K.C.C. tennis tournament and distribution of prizes, 4.15 p.m.

June 1—General meeting of Hongkong Civil Service Cricket Club in the Sanitary Department Board Room, 5.15 p.m.

June 3—King's Birthday parade at Happy Valley.

June 3—Reception at Government House in honour of the King's birthday.

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# "CHINA MAIL" SPORTS PAGE

## EPSOM DERBY.

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS.

LATEST BETTING PRICES.

Several Reuter cables were received last night, giving the latest regarding the Epsom Derby to be run to-morrow. The times mentioned below are those at which the respective cables arrived here.

### Earlier Betting.

An earlier telegram gave the betting as—  
Colorado 13/8 taken and offered.  
Coronach 6/6 t. and o.  
Swift and Sure 10/1 t. and o.  
Lex 10/1 t. and o.  
Apple Sammy 100/6 o.  
Finglas 22/1 o.  
Harpagon 25/1 o.  
Climex 28/1 t. and o.  
Macanudo 40/1 t. and o.  
Comedy King 40/1 o.

### Revised Probables.

12.07 a.m.  
Horse. Jockey.  
Apple Sammy. J. J. G. J.  
Coronach. G. J. G. J.  
Swift and Sure. G. J. G. J.  
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Harpagon. G. J. G. J.  
Climex. G. J. G. J.  
Macanudo. G. J. G. J.  
Comedy King. G. J. G. J.

Subsequent Changes.  
12.35 a.m.  
London, May 31.—The following scratched to-day: Grand Flight (at 9 a.m.), Lancashire and Lulworth Cove (at 10.30 a.m.)  
[Note: These are not in the list of "probables".]

2.40 a.m.  
The following has been added to the list of "probables":  
Hercules.  
4.40 a.m.  
From the list of "probables" take out Gay Lothario.

### Latest Betting.

5.58 a.m.  
The latest betting is—  
Colorado, 6/4 offered, 13/8 taken.  
Coronach, 7/1 taken and offered.  
Swift and Sure, 9/1 t. and o.  
Lex, 10/1 t. and o.  
Apple Sammy, 100/6 t. and o.  
Finglas, 22/1 t. and o.  
Harpagon, 25/1 offered.  
Climex, 28/1 t. and o.  
Macanudo, 33/1 offered.  
Comedy King, 40/1 offered.

## HOME GOLF.

BRITISH "WALKER CUP" TEAM.

SIMPSON DROPPED OUT.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, May 31.—The runner-up in the British amateur golf championship, Simpson, has been officially informed that he is not chosen for the "Walker Cup."

[A cable published on Saturday read—  
The championship committee have nominated Brownlow, Harris, Hazlet, Holderness, Jamieson, W. Murray, Simpson, E. Storey (of West Hill), Tolley and Wethered for the "Walker Cup."  
Eight of these ten will be chosen on the eve of the match, which will be played on June 2 and 3 at St. Andrew's.]

## U.S. BASEBALL LEAGUES.

On the morning of May 26, the tables of the U.S. major baseball leagues stood at—

National League.	W.	L.	Pct.
Cincinnati	24	12	.667
Chicago	20	12	.625
Brooklyn	19	13	.594
Pittsburgh	19	15	.559
St. Louis	19	18	.514
New York	15	20	.429
Philadelphia	13	19	.406
Boston	10	24	.296

American League.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	27	9	.750
Washington	21	16	.568
Chicago	22	17	.564
Philadelphia	20	17	.541
Cleveland	19	17	.528
Detroit	19	19	.500
Boston	12	23	.343
St. Louis	9	27	.250

## LAWN TENNIS.

(Reuter's Service.)

Paris, May 31.  
In the Franco-American lawn tennis competition, Vincent Richards (U.S.A.) beat René Lacoste (France) 7-5, 4-6, 8-6.

## TEN WICKETS.

TWO COUNTY CRICKET RESULTS.

SMALL SCORES.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, May 31.  
Two county cricket matches ended in two days, as follows—  
Essex v. Leicester.

At Colchester. Essex lost to Leicestershire by ten wickets.  
Scores:—  
Leicester (1st) 277 runs.  
Essex (1st) 96 runs. Geary took 5 wickets for 41 runs and Skelding 5 for 41.  
Essex (2nd), followed on, 184 runs. Freeman made 52. Geary took 4 for 42. Astill 6 for 47.  
Leicester (2nd) 4 runs for no wicket.

Worcester v. Gloucester.  
At Stourbridge. Worcestershire lost to Gloucestershire by ten wickets. Scores:—  
Worcester (1st) 144 runs.  
Gloucester (1st) 236 runs. Morrison made 59; Root took 5 for 90.  
Worcester (2nd) 135 runs. Parker took 4 for 44. Mills 5 for 57.  
Gloucester (2nd) 45 runs for no wicket.

The table now stands:—

	Pld.	Won	Lst.	Ins.	Wn.	Lst.	Pos.	Pts.	No.
Yorkshire	7	5	0	0	0	0	30	28	1
Middlesex	5	3	0	0	0	0	25	21	0
Kent	5	3	2	0	0	0	15	11	0
Lancashire	5	2	0	0	0	0	10	7	0
Nottingham	6	2	0	0	0	0	10	7	0
Gloucester	6	3	2	0	0	0	10	7	0
Surrey	7	2	1	2	0	0	10	7	0
Hants	6	1	1	1	0	0	10	7	0
Somerset	5	1	2	1	0	0	10	7	0
Leicestershire	7	1	2	1	0	0	10	7	0
Warwickshire	6	0	1	2	0	0	10	7	0
Sussex	5	1	2	0	0	0	10	7	0
Derbyshire	5	0	1	1	0	0	10	7	0
Essex	8	0	5	2	0	0	10	7	0
Northants	5	0	3	1	0	0	10	7	0
Worcester	7	0	3	0	0	0	10	7	0
Glamorgan	3	0	0	0	0	0	10	7	0

## BALLOON RACE.

GORDON BENNETT CUP WINNER.

CONDITIONS VERY BAD.

(Reuter's Service.)

Brussels, May 31.  
The American, Van Orman, whose balloon landed at Soelvels.



W. T. VAN ORMAN.

Van Orman, who won the race last year, was the first to land. The American, Van Orman, whose balloon landed at Soelvels, borg, Sweden, won the Gordon Bennett balloon race.  
The weather was generally very bad and there were many forced landings.  
[An Antwerp cable of May 30 stated—  
Seventeen balloons, representing seven nations, started in the Gordon Bennett Race this afternoon. Conditions are likely to force balloons towards the North Sea.]

## INTERPORT SHOOT.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)  
Singapore, May 31.  
In the Far Eastern interport rifle shoot, Singapore scored 337 points.  
[Note: On Sunday Hongkong made 396. Shanghai (holders) and Penang have yet to fire off.]

The draw in connection with the Colony's lawn bowls singles championship, which was originally fixed for last evening, has been postponed. It will take place either this evening or to-morrow.

## THE AUSTRALIANS.

SECOND DAY'S PLAY AGAINST MIDDLESEX.

AMATEURS GOOD SHOW.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, May 31.  
At Lord's, second day's play between Middlesex and the Australians.

[Position at start: Australians (1st innings) 357 for 4 wickets. T. J. E. Andrews 120 not out (16 fours).]  
To-day there were 12,000 spectators. Weather fine, wicket good.  
The Australians went on to make 489 and were all out at lunch-time.  
Andrews made 164. There were dazzling periods in his innings. He hit 22 fours and scored 34 runs.  
G. O. Allen took 5 wickets for 62 runs, his analysis for to-day being 5 for 30. (That is, he gave 30 runs for no wicket overnight).  
Middlesex (1st innings) were 233 runs for 6 wickets at the close. G. T. S. Stevens made 114 not out and Hearne (J.W.) 59.

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## OTHERS' VIEWS.

SINGAPORE PAPER ON OUR CRICKETERS.

HONGKONG INTERPORT XI.

A Hongkong correspondent to the "Free Press," whose article was published at Singapore on May 26, comments on the Hongkong interport cricket eleven, as then provisionally constituted. He said:—

First of all it should be stated that Hongkong's team is most unlikely to be as was expected. The paramount question of leave has made several differences. J. C. Lyal is not going—so I have been informed—because of added duties at the Naval Yard through taking over a colleague's work. Captain Armstrong has been seconded from his regiment and is now on staff work as D.A.A. and Q.M.G. Then, again, I hear that H. Owen Hughes will be detained by business. I am leaving these out of consideration. Now about some of those who have been named.

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## MOTOR RACE.

RAIN CUTS OFF HUNDRED MILES.

WINNER'S TIME.

(Reuter's American Service.)

Indianapolis, May 31.  
The fourteenth annual 500 mile motor speed race resulted—  
Lockhart, 1st; Hartz, 2nd; Woodbury, 3rd.

Owing to rain the race was reduced to 400 miles.  
The winner's time was 4 hours, 13 minutes, 37 8/10 seconds.  
Lockhart drove the whole distance without relief and stopped to attend his car after 250 miles. He then fell behind, but quickly regained the lead and finished past the winning post, leading by 5 miles.

Twenty-five started. Many dropped out owing to the fierce pace. There were 140,000 spectators. Lockhart nets \$40,000.

## IMPERIAL CRICKET.

TEST VISITS FOR NEXT FEW YEARS.

CONFERENCE DECISIONS.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, May 31.  
At Lord's, at the Imperial Cricket Conference, with Lord Hampden presiding, delegates from Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, India and the West Indies unanimously passed a resolution and moved that Australian Tests in future should be of more than three days' duration and played to a finish if possible.

The following programme was passed:—  
1924/7, England visits South Africa.  
1928, South Africa visits England.  
1928/9, England visits Australia.  
1930, Australia visits England.  
Lord Harris moved that Australia be asked to reconsider the six-ball over for Tests in Australia with a view to uniformity.

## JACK DEMPSEY.

New York, May 21.—Tom O'Rourke, an Eastern fight promoter in the United States, announced an offer of a million dollars to Jack Dempsey, world heavyweight champion, here yesterday. Dempsey's opponent as selected by O'Rourke, who made his offer on behalf of a New York syndicate, is Harry Wills, the black panther of the Yankee squared circle.  
Dempsey previously refused terms of eight hundred thousand dollars made by Tex Rickard for a title bout sometime this year. Tex Rickard did not specify any particular opponent in his earlier offer to the crownholder. Dempsey has neither accepted or refused O'Rourke's offer as yet—"Chinese Press."

## ALLEGED BELGIAN ARMS.

Peking, May 3.—A protest is reported to have been lodged by the Chinese with the Belgian Legation over the alleged importation of ammunition into China by a Belgian national.  
It is understood that secret service agents reported that a certain military faction was receiving ammunition from Belgian merchants, upon which data the government made its protest.  
Simultaneously with the protest, it is said that the Customs Authorities at the different ports were instructed to keep a strict watch for war materials which are to be detained if found.

Saturday afternoon being a holiday, an attempt to check this story with the Belgian Legation was futile.

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## LOCAL SHARE MARKET.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

HONGKONG, JUNE 1, 1926, 10.30 a.m.

Name.	Hongkong Stock Exchange.	Hongkong Shareholders' Association.	Settle Brokers' Share & Real Estate Society.
T.T. on London	2/24	2/24	2/24
T.T. on Shanghai	76 1/2	76 1/2	nom.
Hongkong Bank	1100 b	1050 b	1100 a
do. London	412 1/2 n	410 1/2 n	412 1/2 n
Chartered Bank	430 1/2 n	430 1/2 n	430 1/2 n
Mercantile Bank, A. & C.	413 1/2 n	413 1/2 n	413 1/2 n
do. O.	402 1/2 n	402 1/2 n	402 1/2 n
P. & O. Bank	388 n	384 n	385 n
Bank of East Asia	610 b	600 b	600 b
Marine Insurance	180 n	2 b	180 n
Canton Insurance	T 145 n	T 140 n	145 n
China Underwriters	268 1/2 b	268 1/2 b	268 1/2 b
North China Insurance	37 1/2 b	44 n	37 1/2 b
Union Insurance	180 b	155 b	180 b
Yankee Insurance	570 b	550 b	570 b
Fire Insurance	28 n	28 n	28 n
China Fire Insurance	28 1/2 n	28 1/2 n	28 1/2 n
K.K. Fire Insurance	24 1/2 n	24 1/2 n	24 1/2 n
Shipping	20 n	30 n	20 n
Douglas	46 n	45 n	45 n
Hongkong Steamboats	—	45 n	—
H.K. Tugs & Lighters	90 1/2 b	87 1/2 n	90 1/2 b
Indo-China (Prod.)	46 1/2 b	46 1/2 n	46 1/2 b
do. (Def.) L'd.	15 n	13 n	15 n
do. (Hk.)	—	—	—
Oriental Navigation	—	—	—
Shell Transports	—	—	—
Star Ferries	—	—	—
Water-boats	—	—	—
Refineries	—	—	—
China Sugars	22 b	24 1/2 a	23 a
Walabon Sugars	35 n	35 b	35 n
Mining	—	—	—
Kailan Mining Ad.	1 1/2 b	—	—
Langkate (Combined)	41 1/2 n	42 1/2 n	41 1/2 n
do. (Single)	24 1/2 n	24 1/2 n	24 1/2 n
Shanghai Exploration	12 1/2 n	12 n	12 1/2 n
Shanghai Lums	5 1/2 n	5 a	5 1/2 n
Raub	5 1/2 n	5 a	5 1/2 n
Ironworks	5 1/2 n	5 a	5 1/2 n
Oral Caspian	5 1/2 n	5 a	5 1/2 n
Docks, Wharves	65 1/2 n	60 1/2 b	65 1/2 n
Godowns, &c.	8 1/2 n	—	—
K. & K. Wharves	126 a	124 a	126 a
K. & W. Docks	55 n	58 a	57 n
Hongkows	170 b	170 b	170 b
New Engineering	50 n	50 n	50 n
Shanghai Docks	105 1/2 b	105 b	105 n
Lands, Hotels & Edges	10 40 b	10 40 b	10 40 b
K. & S. Hotels (old)	10 40 b	10 40 b	10 40 b
do. (new)	10 40 b	10 40 b	10 40 b
Hongkong Lands	62 b	61 b	62 1/2 b
K. Realty	58 1/2 b	6 a	6 a
K. Territorial	5 n	5 1/2 a	5 a
Imperial Estates	14 1/2 n	14 1/2 a	14 1/2 a
Finance Building	95 n	100 a	95 n
Rural Lands	7 n	—	—
Cotton Mills	—	—	—
100 Cottons	9 1/2 b	T 10 10 a	T 9 1/2 b
1000 Cottons	3 n	3 n	2 1/2 b
Shanghai Cottons (old)	53 b	53 b	3 n
do. (new)	28 b	27 b	27 n
Miscellaneous	—	—	—
China Ice	3 1/2 n	3 1/2 n	3 1/2 n
Amusements (comb.)	14 1/2 a	14 1/2 a	14 1/2 a
do. (old)	13 n	13 n	13 1/2 b
do. (new)	3 n	2 1/2 n	3 b
China Buses	10 60 a	—	—
China Lights (comb.)	18 1/2 n	18 b	18 b
do. (old)	14 b. & sa	13 a	13 b
do. (new)	9 1/2 b	10 n	9 1/2 b
China Prov. (comb.)	5 60 b	5 80 b	5 60 b
do. (old)	—	—	—
do. (new)	—	—	—
Airy Farms	10 a	10 a	10 a
er A Wing (full pd.)	8 a	8 a	—
do. (part pd.)	—	—	—
Hongkong Amusements	11 1/2 n	11 1/2 b	—
K. Constructions	24 a	3 a	2 1/2 a
Hongkong Electric	64 1/2 b	64 1/2 b	64 1/2 b
K. Developments	25 cts n	24 cts a	24 cts a
K. Ropes (comb.)	30 a	30 a	30 a
do. (old)	10 a	10 1/2 n	10 a
do. (new)	5 a	5 1/2 n	5 a
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do. (Ordinary)	—	18 n	—
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MRS. SHERWOOD ALDRICH

Though she is suing her millionaire husband for a separation, Mrs. Sherwood Aldrich testified he "was a fine, generous man" before they parted. She admitted they had spent \$150,000 a year to live and he had given her \$117,000 in jewellery. Now she asks \$85,000 cash and \$75,000 a year alimony.



Mr. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., who helped to finance the Polar aeroplane expedition of Lieutenant-Commander Richard E. Byrd.



MRS. ELEANOR NORRIS

Mrs. Eleanor Norris, 21, in suing for a divorce, admitted that her husband, Clinton Norris, 46, lavished money upon her, but declared that he seldom kissed her.



MRS. MARY E. DURAND

Mrs. Mary E. Durand began work as a telegrapher for the Lake shore and Michigan Southern Railroad 56 years ago. At the age of 74 she is still tapping the key.



JUDGE FLORENCE ALLEN

Friends of Judge Florence Allen, of the Ohio Supreme Court, are planning to run her for the Senatorial seat now held by Senator Frank B. Willis. Judge Allen is the only woman ever to sit on the Ohio Supreme Bench.



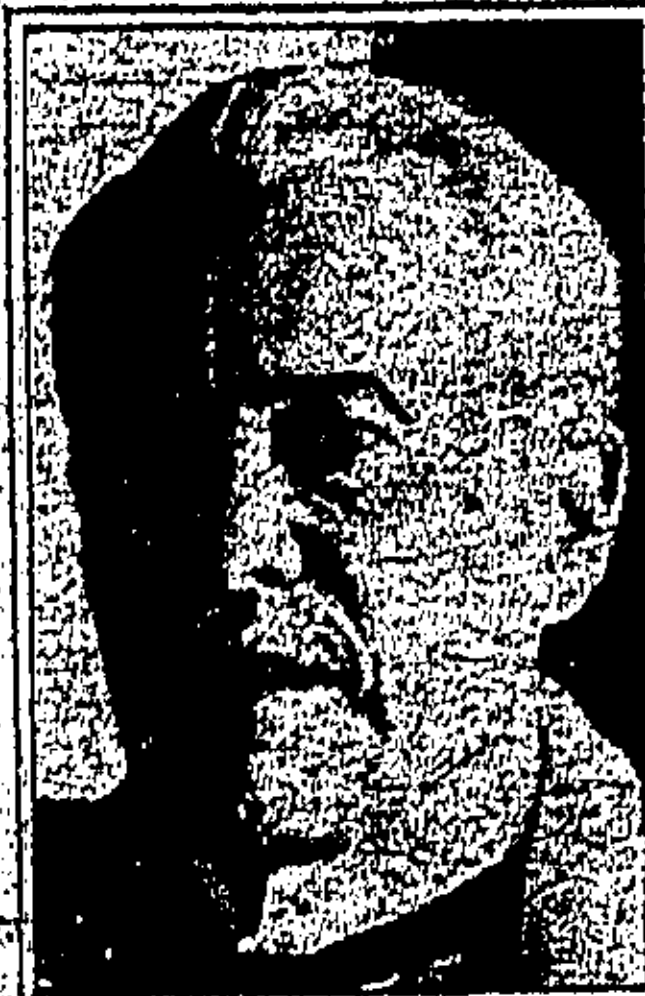
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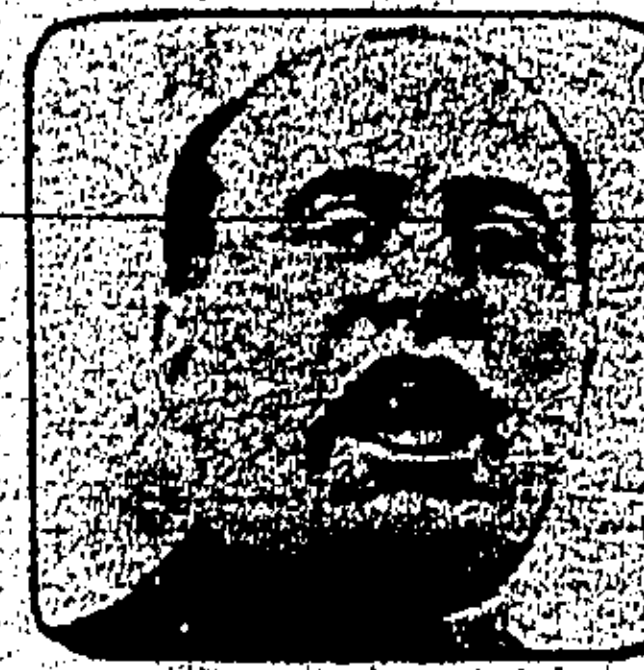


LOUIS MALVY



DR. ALES HRDLICKA

Mr. George E. Brennan, Chicago, blamed Prohibition for the increase of crime, testifying at the Senate prohibition hearing. Mr. William "Pussfoot" Johnson, veteran anti-alcohol campaigner, admitted his "lies and drunks" in his fight to dry up the United States, but justified the means by the end. M. Malvy, French Minister of the Interior, who resigned, Dr. Ales Hrdlicka, scientist of the Smithsonian Institution, was awarded the British Huxley Medal for his anthropology research.



With three million youths ready for battle, nothing can stay Italy's advanced Premier Mussolini told his lieutenants in a fiery speech less than twenty-four hours after an assassin's bullet clipped his nose. Here are three pictures of the energetic Italian in action.



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Senator Irvine L. Leno, of Wisconsin, has announced his candidacy for re-election. "The truth about President Wilson" is promised by Lord Birkenhead in a book he is writing. William Faversham, after 40 years on the American stage, has filed citizenship papers. Senator Royal S. Copeland, of New York, introduced a bill in the Senate for better protection of migratory birds.

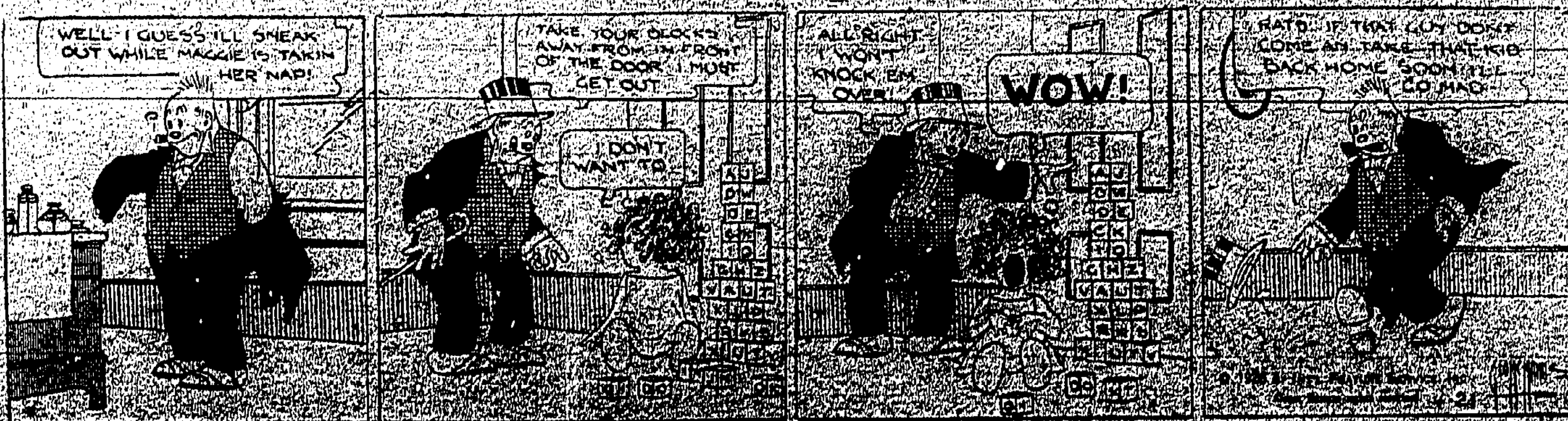
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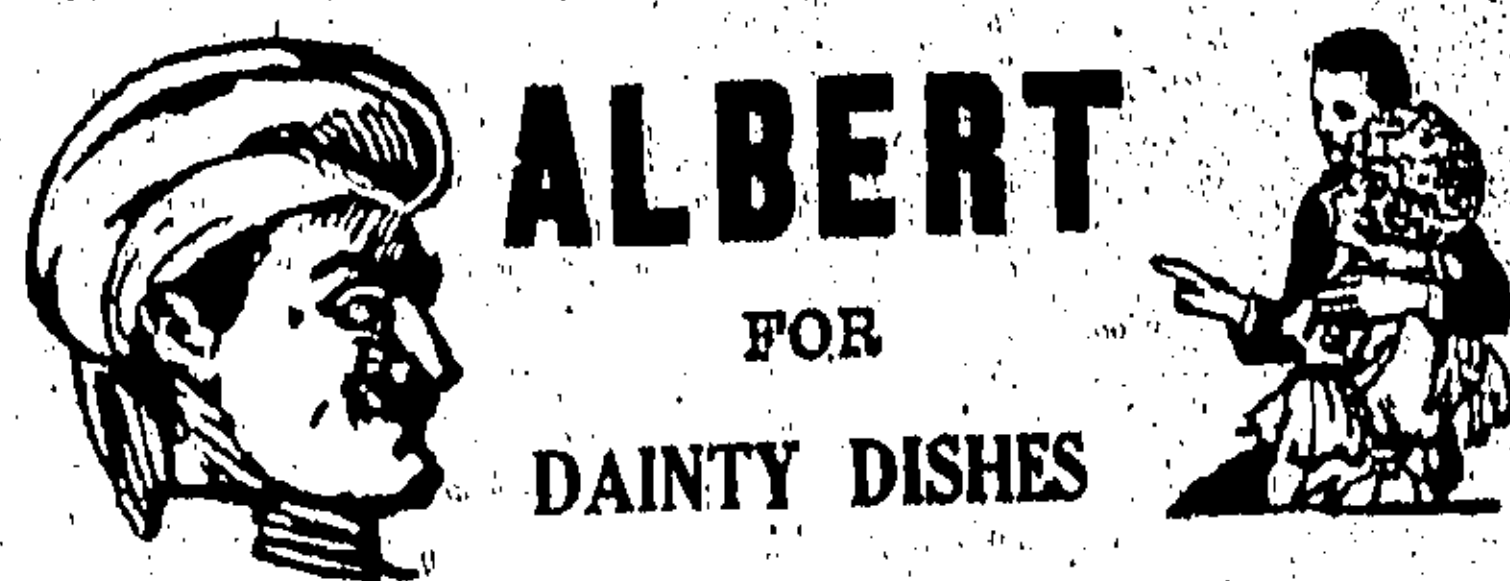
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Wing On, West Point, from Kobe.  
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### SWATOW'S STUDENTS.

#### SPECIAL WRATH AGAINST AMERICAN SCHOOLS.

The Swatow correspondent of the "North China Daily News," writing on May 16, says:—

The ineptitude of the policy that is being pursued by the authorities in regard to schools becomes more and more apparent. Their one idea seems to be to allow untrammelled liberty to the pupils to work their will in the schools, so long as they are ready to be paraded in processions at the call of the Kuomintang or the labour unions.

A flagrant scandal from the district city of Chenghai has been causing many folk "furiously to think" whether things are, indeed, the head of one of the higher primary schools there had occasion to expel one of the boys. He, as usual, went to the students' union for sympathy; and a mob composed chiefly of students of the city middle school, went to his school, rushed in, seized the offending head and the supervisor of studies, and dragged them in procession round the streets "to display to the public," ending up at the jail where they handed them in and saw that they were duly locked up. Next day the pupils of the school, who had taken no part in this performance, paraded out to Swatow, and petitioned the authorities for the release of the two unfortunate gentlemen, and returned satisfied with a promise that a telegram would be sent ordering their release.

That was ten days ago; and still they are in jail, in spite of strong protests from the teachers of the city, the parents of the pupils, and various public bodies; and the school has of course been closed for the time being. The authorities have been absolutely silent, and have made no move whatever towards dealing with the students' union or with any of the hooligans who led the affair.

One wonders how long teachers will be content to carry on their work in fear of this sort of treatment. In these days when "unions" crop up on all sides like mushrooms, we hear nothing at all of teachers' unions; and yet there seems no body of men who require more to co-operate in defence of their interests. If they were suspected of conspiring together in order to maintain some kind of reasonable discipline in their schools, would they be condemned as reactionaries and "running dogs of imperialism"?

#### A SANGUINARY FIGHT.

Another sample of the prevailing lack of discipline has been provided by the two leading government schools in Chaochowfu, the middle school and the normal school. A basketball match was being held on the ground of the latter, and the visiting team was accompanied by several hundreds of supporters. As soon as the first goal was scored, by the home team, a row began, stones commenced to fly; railings were torn up, and the timbers applied to the vile bodies of the other fellows. Finally the middle school retired in good order and paraded the streets during their opponents to show their faces, and picketed the approaches to the normal school so that it could not get medical aid for its wounded.

What the casualties were on both sides it is difficult to ascertain.



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MARY HEATH MCGRAW.

The Providence (Rhode Island) divorce obtained by Mary Heath McGraw in 1920 cut her off from the estate of her millionaire ex-husband, Howard Anthony McGraw, of Detroit, when he died in 1923. Now she is trying to have the decree set aside.

The middle school, with commendable exactness, claimed 146 but one may be pardoned for hesitating to accept the figure. The heads of both schools were absent in Canton at an educational conference, and were hastily summoned back by telegram; and the settlement of the affair awaits their arrival.

Meanwhile the public is being treated to wild and whirling manifestoes from the two sides, and is no doubt saying in its heart "A plague upon you both!"

#### AMERICAN MISSIONS ASSAILED.

The middle school of the American Baptist Mission has been the latest object of the attentions of the anti-imperialists. One of the boys got into trouble with a teacher, and was disciplined. The class went on strike, and called in the aid of the Kuomintang and the various strike organisations, as well as the students' union; and their representatives, to the number of over 60, paraded to the school behind a flag intimating that they were out to support the students in their resistance to "imperialism and cultural penetration." They held a meeting with the students in the school hall, and formulated a series of demands, including the deposition of the principal (who is Chinese), removal of all restrictions on the students' self-government association, abolition of religious exercises and elective Bible study, and, finally, the rendition of the school to exclusively Chinese control. (It is at present under a board of management on which Chinese are in a large majority.)

A settlement has been patched up on much less radical lines, involving concessions to the students which to an outsider seem ominous of future trouble; and it very unlikely indeed that the fishers in the troubled waters have been satisfied with their catch this time.

The American school at Meishien, which was reported some weeks ago to have been seized by a mob of outside students, is still in the hands of the raiders, and there seems no possibility of recovering it for the time being.

#### MANILA, BEST LIGHTED CITY IN ORIENT.

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The municipal committee on lights has endorsed the plan, and city council, with its approval, Mayor Romualdez, and Vice Mayor Alonzo, and president of the board of the Manila Electric Company, have agreed to provide the funds for its installation.

### THE SCHOONER ALVENA.

#### AFTER FOUR MONTHS' ROUGH VOYAGE.

Miami, Fla.—Out of the picturesque past came the schooner "Alvena," a four-masted relic of the sea, and shipped into port the other day to close one of the most colourful chapters of present maritime history.

Only the dead tolling of the bell buoy welcomed the gaunt, gray craft, a ghost of the proud schooner known from Frisco to Hongkong. Unheralded and unnoticed, the "Alvena" in coming to anchorage in Bay Biscayne furnished a dramatic race which started when she sailed with her sister ship, the "Irene," out of the harbour of Aberdeen, Wash., December 11.

Once known along a hundred waterfronts as "the twin pearls of the Pacific," the two ships had long since been relegated to the graveyard, skeletons of a dead glory. The years piled on end and they were forgotten, their careers apparently at a dismal end. Then the railroad embargo in Florida, coupled with the wave of constitution activities in the state and the urgent need for building materials, called forth every ship available. The "Irene" and "Alvena" were reconditioned and jammed with lumber, with their old captains in command. A challenge was given and taken and the twin schooners sailed forth on a race to Florida.

Days slipped by and neither was heard from until the "Irene" was sighted by a passing steamer plying the western sea lanes January 8, off Point St. Louis, Lower California. Anxiety was felt for the safety of the "Alvena" and on March 12, after days of futile waiting, she was listed as missing. Hardly a day later she was reported proceeding for the canal.

She virtually limped into this port, a shell of her former self. Threadbare canvas, unkempt decks, a blistered hull, and mangled spars mutely testified to the gales she had struggled through on her hazardous voyage. Off California, she had run afoul of a mid-winter storm, and for hours at a stretch lay at the mercy of the gales which whipped her miles off her course. Battered and bruised she lay becalmed for several weeks. She finally nosed her way through the canal and fared forth to Miami without another mishap.

Mystery still shrouds the fate of the "Irene," antiquated and fragile, which might easily have been swallowed up by the Pacific while her sister-ship was a pawn of the elements. Both ships were built in Fairhaven, Cal., and each carried a captain and crew of nine men.

#### A LADY BISHOP.

The arrival in England of a female bishop has been celebrated in the columns of the Press. This lady, who quotes Scriptural authority for the suppression of drink, dancing, and modern dress (but not, it is to be presumed, for women keeping silent in church), is an American, but we have the tradition of an Englishwoman who not only became a bishop, but ascended to the rank of Cardinal and even of Pope. Pope Joan, who is supposed to have gained the papacy in 855, is reputed to have died in childbirth at her inauguration, after an adventurous career in Germany, Athens, and Rome. In England her very existence has become a discredited legend, but she is still a prominent figure in modern Greek literature.



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To Tuesday, June 1.

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The charge for admission to the Public Enclosure will be \$1. for all persons including Ladies.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform half price. Members are advised that they must show their Badges to obtain admission to the Members' Enclosure.

Each member has the right to introduce 2 non-members to the Members' Enclosure, tickets for whom can be obtained from Messrs. Linstead & Davis at \$5, each up to FRIDAY, 4th June.

The charge for admission for Ladies to the Members' Enclosure will be \$2—Each member can obtain, upon application to the Secretary, Badges for the admission of 2 Ladies free of charge.

Hongkong, May 31, 1926.

#### INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD.

THE FORTY-FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held at the Offices of the General Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Pedder Street, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 10th June, 1926, at 12 noon for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, passing the Accounts, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 3rd to 24th June, 1926, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board. JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD. General Managers. Hongkong, 20th May, 1926.

#### LAMBERT BROS.

AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS AND SURVEYORS

##### Public Auctions.

THE Undersigned have received Instructions to sell by Public Auction—

ON WEDNESDAY, the 2nd June, 1926, commencing at 10.30 a.m. at Godowns Nos. 17 and 18, The Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon.

A Quantity of MISCELLANEOUS GOODS.

Comprising:—Matches, Cottons, Porcelain, Glass Ware, Paper, Window Glass, Paint, Iron Bars, Tea Sweepings, Angle, Round and Flat Iron, Fishplate, Tissue Paper, Canned Goods, Groceries Samples, Muscat Grapes, Sardines, Spinach, Shrimps, Cherries, Rubber Tyres, Wire Milk, Peaches, Pears, Asparagus, Salmon, Apricots, Sour Mixed Pickles, Sugar Peas, Old Newspapers, Cement, etc., etc.

Terms:—Cash on Delivery. LAMBERT BROS., Auctioneers. Hongkong, May 27, 1926.

##### ON FRIDAY, the 4th June, 1926,

commencing at 11 a.m. at No. 90 (formerly No. 52) Nathan Road, Kowloon.

A Quantity of VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

On View on Day of Sale. Terms:—Cash on Delivery. LAMBERT BROS., Auctioneers. Hongkong, 1st June, 1926.

##### ON FRIDAY, the 4th June, 1926,

commencing at 2.45 p.m. at No. 2, Armand Building (Ground Floor), Kowloon.

A Quantity of VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Catalogues will be issued. On View from Thursday, the 3rd June, 1926.

Terms:—Cash on Delivery. LAMBERT BROS., Auctioneers. Hongkong, 31st May, 1926.

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By the pupils of the VIOLET DANCE. Under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency The Governor Sir. CHAS. CLARKE, K.C.M.G.

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